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Supreme Court Bars Sunday Movies In Ohio

COLUMBUS, O., Dec. 23.—Hopes of motion picture exhibitors to obtain a reversal of a former decision of the state supreme court so that motion pictures could be legally exhibited on Sunday were blotted today when the court by implication upheld the former decision barring Sunday exhibits.

The decision was given today in the case of Harry W. Russ, motion picture exhibitor of Piqua, who sought to appeal from a conviction in the Miami county court of violating the Sunday law against giving the theatrical performances. He had been fined \$100. The supreme court, relying on its former decision that a motion picture exhibition is a theatrical performance, rendered in a Chillicothe case, refused to consider Russ's case.

A state law prohibits theatrical performances on Sunday. Several attempts have been made by motion picture interests to have a law enacted by the legislature that would legalize Sunday "movies." They have met with no success so far.

DEPORTATION EXPLANATION IS CABLED TO EUROPE

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 23.—In explanation of the deportation of 219 radical Russians on the transports *Ural* and *Ural* was cabled to the state department today to "various foreign capitals."

The department's message follows:

"There are being deported from the United States to Soviet Russia about 200 citizens of Russia who are undesirable here. These persons, while enjoying the hospitality of this country, have conducted themselves in a most despicable manner; and while enjoying the benefits and living under the protection of this government, have plotted its overthrow. They are held in custody and are being held in jails which are antagonistic to the ideals processes of modern civilization. They have indulged in practices which tend to subvert the rights which the Constitution of the United States guarantees to its citizens. They are arrayed in opposition to government in power. They plan to impose their destructive theories by violence in derogation of law.

"They are anarchists. They are persons of such character as to be undesirable in the United States of America and are being sent whence they came to Russia.

"Deportation has been taken to protect them from conduct and human treatment at the hands of the authorities under whose jurisdiction they will pass enroute to Soviet Russia."

XMAS TREES FOR 5 CENTS

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—Christmas trees today sold as low as five cents, "take your pick," in some places, and the prices ranged up to \$1.65, with the evergreens still a drag on the market. Reluctance of local representatives of Santa Claus to pay the \$3 demanded not only had driven down the price, but resulted in 23,000 trees being distributed free and an additional 22 carloads being offered today.

RATIFICATION BEFORE NEW YEAR IS IMPOSSIBLE

PARIS, Dec. 23.—Exchange of ratifications of the German peace treaty before the end of the year is considered in French official circles as impossible. This opinion was formed today when the head of the German delegation here announced that he would be obliged to return to Berlin to consult with the government on the latest allied communication.

Paul Dulasta, secretary of the peace conference, handed Von Lersner, head of the German delegation, the allied reply to the last German notes. Von Lersner said that owing to difficulties of communication and importance of the document, he felt obliged to consult Berlin and that he would leave with his experts for the German capital tonight. He emphasized that his departure was in no wise a rupture of negotiations.

Secretary Dulasta, in accordance with instructions from the supreme council, accompanied the allied note with a verbal communication in which it is understood he assured Von Lersner that the allies recognized the economic difficulties which might exist in Germany and wished to take them into account.

If proof were given that errors had been made in the estimate of floating material now in the possession of Germany, upon which the allies based their demands for reparation for the sinking of the German ships at Scapa Flow, these demands, Dulasta is understood to have told the German plenipotentiary, would be reduced proportionately. Von Lersner expressed no opinion on the document presented by Dulasta.

LLOYD GEORGE TO CONFER WITH CLEMENCEAU

LONDON, Dec. 23.—Premier Lloyd George will go to Paris next week to confer with Premier Clemenceau, it was announced today.

ACCUSED OF RED SYMPATHIES



Norman Hapgood

The foreign relations committee of the senate secured information several months ago that protocol such determined opposition to confirmation of the nomination of Norman Hapgood, minister to Denmark, that Secretary Lansing was informed that appointment would not be approved. The committee is prepared to make public information which was expected to show activities and sympathies for the Russian Soviet government, it is claimed.

U. S. MINISTER TO DENMARK RETURNS TO UNITED STATES

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Norman Hapgood, United States minister to Denmark, arrived here on the steamship *Frederick VIII* today from Copenhagen. He is on a leave of absence according to recent announcement by the state department. Mrs. Hapgood and two children accompanied him. Another passenger was Baroness Speek Von Sternberg, widow of the former German ambassador to Washington. The baroness was Miss Julian M. Langham of Louisville.

HUNTING ACCIDENT

NEW PHILADELPHIA, Ohio.—Clarence Brown, 19, of Johnstown, died from injuries received while hunting.

TURK LEADER ASSASSINATED

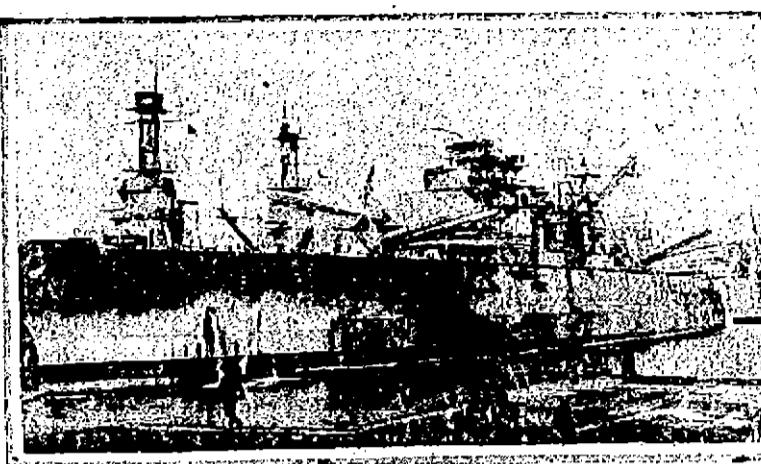
ROME, Dec. 23.—Mustafa Kemal, leader of the Turkish insurgents in Anatolia and head of the Turkish national movement in Asia Minor, has been assassinated, according to a *Syntagma* dispatch to the *Tempo*.

Old Fashioned Home-Coming For General Pershing On His Return To Boyhood Home

LA CROSSE, Mo., Dec. 23.—Warren and fixings and pie. General Pershing stepped out on the porch of the old house where he used to live and addressed a few remarks to the family neighbors who gathered to the yard.

Everybody at the dinner except General Pershing ate as much as he pleased, but the general saved room for the fried, dried apple pie that Aunt Susan Hewitt, 78 years old, had baked for him. The visit to Aunt Susan, who used to bake pies for John J. Pershing, you know—old Aunt May Pershing, and the governor of Missouri, and Major Allen, of Lexington, on whose crown wazee did need to rock back and a few more folks. Most of them were folks who knew the general when he was Warren's age, and when fall justice had been done to the turkeys.

GREATEST OF U. S. DREADNAUGHTS



Navy Official Photo from wire.

U.S. Navy's greatest superdreadnaught Tennessee nearing completion at the Navy Yard in Brooklyn. The great vessel was launched April 30, 1919, and will be one of the largest and most powerful battleships afloat. The Tennessee is 624 feet long and is 97 feet wide at its extreme breadth to the outside armaments. Her displacement is 32,000 tons. She will have a speed of twenty-one knots and will be exclusively oil burning and electrically driven. The armament will consist of twelve 14-inch guns, fourteen 5-inch guns and four six-pounders, in addition to torpedo tubes. Her crew will consist of 58 officers and 1,024 men.

DECLINE IN RETAIL FOOD PRICES FIRST OF YEAR, AMERICANS ASSURED

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—The American government in the cost of living, which people have been informed by *AL* which is already under control, the attorney General Palmer, that they may force general sale, are increased proportion to decline in retail food prices due to the elimination of extravagant with the advent of the new year, and buying and the determined hunting coming at this time, the announcement will add cheer to the yuletide celebration.

Retail food prices ordinarily show a downward trend during the first two months of a year, Attorney General Palmer explained, and it is believed that this trend will be accelerated this year by the yuletide initiated by

FRAME INDICTMENT AGAINST EX-KAISER

LONDON, Dec. 23.—Law officers of the crown held a consultation with French and Belgian law officers today with regard to the former German emperor. It is reported that the conference made out a case against the former German ruler and framed an indictment.

WAYS WILL BE FOUND TO KEEP FAITH IN STRIKE SETTLEMENT,—PALMER

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 23.—The government to bear, if necessary, to carry out President Wilson's proposal for the settlement of the coal controversy.

The operators have maintained silence since the executive committee issued the statement Sunday declaring that the government's proposal as finally drafted was vastly different from the plan proposed by former Fuel Administrator Garfield and which they had agreed to accept. The proposed meeting in Cleveland today to discuss the terms has been called off and it was said the operators agreed to withhold announcement of their policy until the government proposal until the conference to be held after Christmas.

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The party recommends that settlement of industrial problems by compulsory arbitration be made one of the issues in the national platform of the party.

ROYAL ARCH MASON TO MEET ASHEVILLE, N. C.—Announcement is made that a fraternal convention of grand lodges Royal Arch Masons of the United States, will be held in Asheville in September, 1921.

EGGS TAKE DROP CHICAGO.—As a result of boycott initiated by Chicago businesses, the price of fresh eggs dropped 12 cents a dozen.

PROFITEERING IN RENT

PARIS, Dec. 22.—Illustrating speculation in rents in provincial towns throughout France. It is reported that a woman rented a small flat at Marseilles for 400 francs per year. After placing furniture in the apartment at a cost of 122 francs, she sublet it at 300 francs to a couple, who again sublet the flat for 140 francs per month.

ILLEGAL OPERATION PERFORMED ON VICTIM

LAWTON, Mich., Dec. 23.—A signed statement accusing Joseph Virgo of performing an illegal operation upon Maudie Tabor has been made by Mrs. Sarah Tabor, 80 year old mother of the brilliant linguist, whose body was found in a trunk in the basement of her home here. Assistant Prosecutor Glenn Warner announced this morning.

In statement, which is in direct contradiction to the story told by the signed woman at the inquest, covers 30 pages and was made to him, Warner declared. In the jail at Pawpaw, near here shortly after midnight, Mrs. Tabor charged that Virgo, who was married to Miss Tabor about a year before her disappearance in 1916, took her to a deserted farmhouse somewhere in her neighborhood, kept her there three days and then brought her home where she died. The statement adds that Virgo crammed the body of his wife into what was to have been her "hope chest" and conveyed it into the cellar, after she had presented him from shipping the trunk out of the state.

Virgo has been held in the county jail at Pawpaw nearly a month on a warrant charging murder.

In her testimony at the inquest, Mrs. Tabor, brought back from California with her son, Walter, on a charge of murder denied she had any knowledge of a criminal operation or any reason for one. This testimony was given after Dr. A. S. Warthin, University of Michigan pathologist, declared that a thorough analysis of the woman's remains proved she had died of hemorrage incident to induced childbirth. Mrs. Tabor maintained that her daughter had died in her arms in their home here from an overdose of chloroform taken to relieve asthma. She told a dramatic story of how in fulfillment of a death pact, whereby she and her daughter were to be buried together, she had withheld the body from burial.

She declared that she had placed the body in the "hope chest" and by means of a rope snatched over a door which had lowered it into the basement, where it was concealed under a pile of rotting shingles.

The body of Miss Tabor, University of Michigan graduate and former school teacher, was found "jerked apart" in the trunk November 30 by her sister, Mrs. Florence Critchlow.

Virgo at the inquest denied any knowledge of an illegal operation.

GONZALES FREE TO ENTER RACE; OBREGON HELD

SAN ANTONIO, Tex., Dec. 23.—President Carranza has accepted the resignation of General Pablo Gonzales, of the Mexican federal army in order that he may become a candidate for the presidency, according to newspaper dispatches from the capital today. He still refused to withdraw his objection to the resignation of General Alvaro Obregon. It is said General Obregon was named as lieutenant colonel by the president recently, a measure designed to keep him from entering the race.

Sen. Fredriksen, Republican New Jersey chairman of the senate committee investigating the coal situation, entered into the controversy by declaring in a formal statement that in the government's negotiations "there must have been some sort of a secret deal made in addition to the signed statement."

"In any event," he added, "the public may look for an increase in the price of coal or another strike."

He characterized the settlement terms as "a loaded dice for the American people."

COMPULSORY ARBITRATION RECOMMENDED

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Resolutions urging the appointment by congress of a nonpartisan board of arbitration to settle all industrial problems and to be clothed with binding powers have been adopted by the prohibition party for New York county, it was announced today.

The resolution set forth that "as such as national prohibition is assured, the attention of the party should be directed to other issues, 'affecting the common weal,' the next meeting of which is the industrial problems."

The party recommends that settlement of industrial problems by compulsory arbitration be made one of the issues in the national platform of the party.

MAT BUY CAR LINE ASHTABULA, O., Dec. 23.—City council last evening passed an ordinance providing for the purchase by the city of the Ashtabula Rapid Transit line. The purchase price is \$25,000.

Sensational Hotel Robbery In New York

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Two burglars attacked Mr. and Mrs. Alvinus Broderick, wealthy residents of Dyker Heights, in their apartment at the Hotel Kielerbeker early today, and escaped with \$4,000 worth of jewelry. Two men were arrested later in the grill room of the hotel. The burglars pried open the door of the hotel apartment, struck Mr. Broderick over the head with a hammer, fled his wife to the bed and then ransacked the room. They left by a window, climbing down the side of the building in "hummus" fashion. The arrests were made by three policemen with revolvers drawn.

Four persons of persons of Broad- way and 32nd street, the heart of the theater district, saw the burglars climb down the side of the building from the fifth to the fourth floors, while a policeman on the street fired his revolver at them. The screams of Mrs. Broderick as the burglars struck her, husband and started to bind her, hands and feet, aroused scores of guests in the hotel.

The two prisoners gave their names as Raymond Rodriguez and Adelino Hera and their nationality as Spanish, but refused to give their addresses.

Mr. and Mrs. Broderick arrived here yesterday from Dallas, Texas. Mr. Broderick was stabbed in one hand by one of the burglars. When searched at the station a diamond watch chain valued at \$2,500, a gold watch and chain worth \$400, a diamond cuff link, diamond cuff links and several small pieces of jewelry, all identified as the property of Mr. and Mrs. Broderick, were found in their possession, the police said.

NEGOTIATE ON COMPROMISE AGREEMENT

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—With both sides apparently willing to sign and take, the effort to reach a compromise agreement for ratification of the peace treaty was reported progressing satisfactorily at conference here between senate leaders of both parties.

Early ratification of the treaty was predicted by some senators with prospects of such action before January 10, which would give President Wilson an opportunity to lift war-time prohibition and grant a general amnesty before the constitutional amendment becomes effective on that date.

All senators remaining in Washington during the holidays probably will be called upon to participate in the treaty conference. From present indications the senators are going ahead with the compromise program without awaiting further word from the White House. It was pointed out, however, that President Wilson might again interfere in the treaty fight if he did not approve reservations accepted by members of his party.

SOLDIER POET PROPOSED TO HAVE LEFT FLAME

ROCHESTER, Dec. 23.—Captain Gabriel D'Amato left Flame on the steamship *Albion*, according to newspaper reports.



It's sure here on a lot o' folks' jingle and curiosity as to what's a new big 'problin' tooks' pack ge marked: "Don't Open Till Xmas." Here's for tomorrow:

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To both of these questions an emphatic answer in the affirmative is given by the local postoffice. Admittedly the postoffice is the best barometer of business conditions. Then by that admission it stands proven that Portsmouth never before enjoyed such good times. For no other year in its existence has anything to offer in comparison of business for the holiday season that the local office is now experiencing. Other like seasons seem puny. Never was both outgoing and incoming mail, mostly parcel post in bulk been half so heavy. Never has the mailing room been so completely and over-hangingly swamped. Monday the rush was simply unmanageable all day long, for thirteen hours the mail poured in without let-up, and the only reason it did not come later was because it was impossible to handle it with more expedition.

Just an idea may be had of the importance in the statement of the fact that Sunday night from 9 to 11 o'clock over two big basketfuls of letters and postal cards were dropped in the office, and Monday night at 9 o'clock, when on other Mondays you could easily handle everything

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Futura Scholz will open a new grocery store at 421 Second Street Wednesday morning. Besides a complete line of groceries, they will carry a stock of toilet articles.

NOTICE

All members of the Select basketball team are urged to be at William Farnum hall this evening at 6:30 o'clock for practice.

Two hours broken
Mrs. J. J. Brewster of 1802 Highfield Avenue fell Saturday evening on an ice-covered step of her home and suffered a fracture of two bones in her left wrist. Dr. Oscar Mickish was attended her. Fowler took care of the wrist.

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Gets New Nash Sedan

W. J. Days has arrived home from Keno-ka-Wa, where he secured a new Nash Sedan, which he drove through to Portsmouth. When he left Keno-ka-Wa several days ago it was 12 below zero.

"Touraine Candy," full pound assortments, 75 cents. Play House.

Attends Conference
Milton S. Cox of McArthur, supervisor of census for the tenth congressional district, attended the conference of the Sebco County census bureau enumerators at the Federal building yesterday, which was addressed by Cleona M. Sturles, census supervisor of Batavia.

Tree Victim Improving
Horace McCann, of near Sebco Furnace, who suffered a serious wound on his head several weeks ago when a falling tree top caught him, is getting along nicely. He has been complaining lately of pains in his chest and Monday an X-ray was taken of his chest to determine, if possible, the cause of the pain. It is thought he was injured internally about the chest and lungs. In the accident a piece of skull was driven down into McCann's brain.

Going to New York
E. C. Hood will leave Sunday for New York, where he will buy goods for The Anderson Bros. Company.

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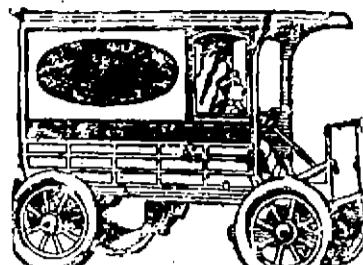
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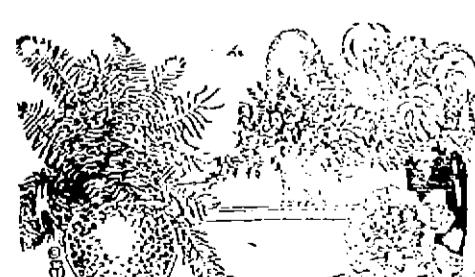


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The Excelsior Shoe company closes at 4:30 p. m. Wednesday, opening at 6:00 a. m. Monday.

The Ohio Slave company will close Wednesday evening, and will remain idle for a few days while an inventory of stock is being made.

The Mitchell Manufacturing company will be off from Wednesday noon to 6:00 a. m. Monday morning.

The Three M. Manufacturer, the Harrison-W. Pier Refractories, the Centralized Oil company, the Puddles Paving company, and the Portsmouth Refineries company will allow their employees Christmas Day off.

Dorcas Class Will Meet

The Dorcas class of the Franklin Avenue M. E. church will hold its regular monthly meeting tonight at the home of Mrs. Charles E. Brooks of 1725 Logan Street, with Mrs. T. W. Burke and Mrs. Henry Heilie assisting. A full attendance is desired, as a annual passing party of the class will be the feature of the meeting.

West Indies

Friends have received word from Rev. and Mrs. O. L. King, formerly located at East Portsmouth, where he is pastor of the First Portsmouth M. E. church. Rev. King and wife are living here took up mission work again and are now stationed on the island of Trinidad, British West Indies.

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PASADENA, CAL., Dec. 23.—Stiff work. Huntington has "Brick" Mitchell as assistant coach at Stanford, and Dart Spellman, who played for Oregon two years ago, Coach Hunting, is placed to have the second string and the regulars. The men are in excellent condition already, he said, and can almost any amount of hard

J. L. GRIMES MAKING SPLENDID RECORD

Friends of J. L. Grimes, at one time portant member of the Portsmouth Daily Times editorial staff and later advertising director of the Whitaker Glass Company, steel manufacturers of Portsmouth and Wheeling, will be glad to learn of the recognition he has received at the hands of the Firestone Tire and Rubber Company, Akron, Ohio, with which concern he has been associated since the spring of 1919.

Mr. Grimes received his preliminary training as a publicist under Harry E. Taylor and Valdo Harold of the Portsmouth Daily Times. His early success in this venture led to his affiliation with the Whitaker Glass Company with offices in the main plant at Wheeling, W. Va.

With the Whitaker Glass Company he broadened the scope of the advertising department and extended its policies materially. Under his supervision the company established its printing plant, one of the largest institutions of its kind in the state. "Safety Hints," one of the first successful industrial internal magazines of record, was also inaugurated under his direction.

At Firestone Mr. Grimes is responsible for the administration of the advertising department under Justin B. Weddell, advertising manager, who recently recognized his efficiency by placing under his direction many

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A big time will be held by the Ben Hur on Christmas Day, beginning with a matinee dance from 2 till 5 in the afternoon, and at night from 9 till 2 presents away, each one present getting a ticket at the door. The first car runs next morning. The afternoon prices are: Ladies, 25 cents; gents, 50 cents; Night: Ladies, 35 cents; gents, 60 cents. A beautiful Christmas tree has been placed in the center of the hall. Anyone wishing to

BUREAU TO HAVE CHRISTMAS PARTY

Seventy-five children were made happy this afternoon when they received invitations issued by the Bureau of Community Service, urging them to come to the lower room of the Dispensary, on Gay street, from 3 to 5 p. m., Wednesday, and enjoy a Christmas party.

A huge Christmas tree, with its winter greenery almost hidden by ropes

Buys Interest In Firm

Albert Clamor, who is employed as a book-keeper in the Security Bank,

LEGAL NOTICE

Charles E. Martin, whose place of residence is unknown, and whose last known place of residence was Chicago, Illinois, is to be tried on an indictment filed November, 1918, his wife, Phoebe Martin, filed her petition in the court of Common Pleas of Scioto County, Ohio, being over \$100,000,000, for divorce from him, and for alimony and other damages, child, on grounds of gross neglect of duty.

Full cause will be given for hearing on or before the 1st day of January, 1920.

PHOEBE MARTIN, Plaintiff
B. F. KIMBLE, Attorney

INSURANCE MEN ENJOY DINNER AT HOTEL

An enjoyable dinner party was given at the Hotel Washington Saturday evening to the representatives of the Metropolitan Life Insurance Company and invited guests.

Interesting talks were made by Reverend Oakley, of the Christian church; Mr. R. C. Meeks, of the Y. M. C. A.; Dr. W. D. Mickelwright and others. Those present were Rev. Charles Oakley and wife, Mr. R. C. Meeks and wife, Dr. W. D. Mickelwright and wife, Mr. Woods, Miss Dorothy Kinsey, Miss Adeline Holmes, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Mc-

Grants, Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Blaser, Miss Mary Dean, Mrs. Rose Kinsey, J. R. Robinson of Chillicothe, B. G. Apole, of Chillicothe, F. J. McAdams of Washington C. H., L. W. Bowden of Washington C. H., W. C. Davis of Washington, C. H., L. D. Blanchard of Washington, C. H., M. B. Ferrell, J. T. Col-
lins and B. M. Tanner, superintendent of the Portsmouth District.

Holiday Clerk

Fred Daniels is helping out during the Christmas rush in 31 Street Dependable store.

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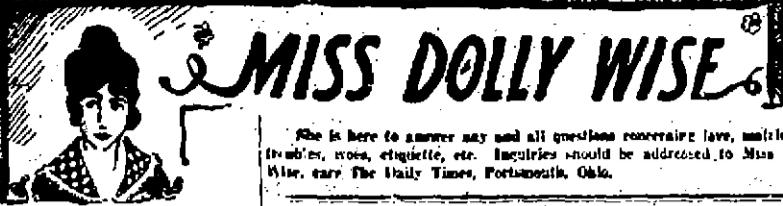
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The Smoke House-503 Chillicothe St.



She is here to answer any and all questions concerning love, marriage, troubles, woes, etiquette, etc. Inquiries should be addressed to Miss Dolly Wise, care The Daily Times, Portsmouth, Ohio.

Dear Miss Wise—Two years ago my feet were frostbitten and they almost set me wild with pain and itching till a winter. Will you please publish a good remedy to cure them. I certainly will appreciate it.

A. READER.
For frosted feet, mix together one ounce of turpentine and three-eighths of an ounce of oil of cassia. Apply the solution morning and evening. Did you try rubbing snow on them?

Miss Wise—When will the income tax returns have to be made out? Will a married man making two thousand dollars or less with no dependents have to make out a return or report to the Comptroller?

P. D. O.

The income tax return may be filed any time between January 1st and March 15th. The tax blank will

be ready for distribution shortly after the first of the year. Single persons with an income of \$1000 or over and married person with an income of \$2000 or more must file out and return income tax blank regardless of their exemption. A great many people are under the impression that they are exempt from taxation. They do not have to send in their report. Blank forms will be sent to those who made returns last year. For those who do not receive blanks are requested to call at the office of John H. Lynn, Second floor of Post office building, about the middle of January and get one.

Bainbridge, Ohio. Dear Miss Wise—I have heard so much about insurance. After the death of a boy's mother is his income payable to anyone else in the family? THANK YOU.

A boy's mother would not get his income unless she was named as the beneficiary in the policy.

If he left

up his brothers and sister would inherit his estate. If he had his insurance policy in his mother's name, and she dies first, he can have it made payable to his estate or trustee it someone else.

Hampton Roads, Va. Dear Miss Wise—We are two sailor boys

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SOCIETY

The many friends of Miss Margaret Boyer and Earl McCarry will be interested to learn of their marriage, which took place this morning, at six o'clock, at the parsonage of the First Christian church, with Rev. C. H. Oakley officiating. Mr. and Mrs. McCarry left immediately for Columbus to visit with friends and relatives for a few days. The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Munyon of 1023 Seventh street. Mr. McCarry is a young man of sterling qualities and a son of Mr. and Mrs. John Pettit of Spokane, Wash. He has a responsible position at the Whirlske-Gleisner plant. Upon their return home the bride and groom will welcome their friends at 708 Clifton street, where they have attractive apartments furnished for occupancy.

Miss Gertrude Schmidt and Lollie Anderson will assist with the Christmas music at All Saint's church Wednesday night at midnight.

Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Stone (Inez Wagner) and children of Pittsburgh, Pa., will arrive this evening to spend the holidays with their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Wagner of Fourth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard McCay of Dayton will arrive this evening to spend the holidays with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Rice of Second street.

Mrs. William Cramer of Fourth street, spent Monday in Cincinnati.

Mrs. L. W. Goff of Cincinnati is the guest of Mrs. Nellie Connell and brother, Mr. Fred Tynes, of 1145 Fourth street.

Miss Dora and Collins M. Pettit of Dayton will spend the holidays with Mr. and Mrs. William Pettit of Wakefield and Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Stewart of Timmons' avenue, this city. They will return to their home after the first of the year.

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of your good advice. We are engaged to two girls in Norfolk, Virginia, and we are liable to sell any day for Europe they want us to marry them before we leave. We want your advice before we marry. Should we get married and leave our wives here to wait until we come back?

J. H. and R. L.

Wait until you are discharged from the service. A young man should establish himself financially before seeking a girl to marry him. Besides you are too young to get a license without your father's consent.

Dear Miss Wise—I do not believe there is another person in Portsmouth more interested in your column than I. I read it every night. I am most interested in the question of marriage with young people. Many of the girls write and say, "I am 16 or 18 years of age, am I too young to marry?" And your answer is always "yes." Oh, "yes," a thousand times. They don't know their own minds and after the revelation comes which awakens them to the fact they have married, without true love, which is worse than any thing I know of. I write from experience.

Miss E. J.: Phone 47 or call at the N. & W. Hotel office on Sixth street, opposite post office for information about trip to Detroit.

Carmen Oakley, who is attending Hiram College, is home for the holidays. He is the son of Rev. and Mrs. Charles Oakley, 1204 Third street.

Friday night a dance will be given in Beaman's hall by a committee composed of high school pupils. It will be from eight until eleven o'clock. Ruth Oldfield, Grace Stark and Arthur Rosenthal form the committee in charge. An invitation is extended to all high school pupils, the parents of all students and all teachers in the city.

The house girls of the Y. W. C. A. Second street, entertained with a Christmas passing party. Friday evening, in the house living room. Appropriate decorations let a holiday spirit to the affair which was enjoyed by all the girls and their friends.

Miss Doss Reinholt of Washington, D. C. is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Helnoch of Dogwood Ridge. She has been employed in the Treasury department for the past year. She will return to Washington to resume her work on January 1.

Friends of Mrs. D. M. Dahn of Grandview avenue are glad to know that she is recovering from a very serious operation performed by Dr. Frank Baldwin, in Grant Hospital in Columbus, several weeks ago. Mrs. Dahn's sister, Lillian Henderson, trained nurse from Chicago, has been with her since the operation.

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I am very glad to print your letter. It is good of you to tell of your experience and without a doubt it will have great weight with some young girl or boy who is about to take an unwise step of marrying young and before love is tested.

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John Kuhnau of McNear, W. Va., arrived today to visit over Christmas with relatives.

Miss Mary McGregor of Akron will arrive here Wednesday to be the Christmas guest of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Poffendorfer of Gallia street and other local relatives.

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TABLETS
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AT ALL DRUG STORES - 18¢ per 250

Sold by Worcester Bros. Pharmacy,
Boer & Strehl Pharmacy, Flood and
Lake and all druggists.

Amaziah Webb, better known as fact that his sister-in-law would agree to the withdrawal of an assault warrant she had caused to be issued against her husband and his brother, Amaziah Webb aged 40, pulled a Colt's revolver from his hip pocket and stamped five shots into her back, destroying almost instant, the leather pellets piercing their way through the woman's heart. Webb then went to the home of Mrs. Lucy Webb, on what is known as another brother, William Webb, and after telling William Webb's wife of the crime he had just committed, stepped into the doorway of the woodshed and sent a bullet through his vitals, inflicting a fatal wound that would soon cause death.

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Mother Falls Unconscious

"My mother, who is 60 years old, has been troubled with her liver for 15 years. Doctors said she had gall stones. Several times she fell unconscious because of these attacks. Last month ago I noticed an advertisement of May's Woolf Drug Store in the Toledo Blade and purchased a bottle, which did her a great amount of good. She continued the treatment and less felt, entirely well since."

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FOUR OFFENDERS FACE MAYOR KAPS

Four alleged offenders faced Mayor Kaps Monday evening at the first police court session to be held within a week.

Wm. Robinson, negro belt bim, who was accused of having tried to force an entrance into the Elton Kimble home at 10th and John streets, last Saturday night, was fined \$10 and costs, \$5 of which was suspended by the mayor.

In default of payment, he was remanded to jail.

The same penalty was assessed against Tracy Hollingsworth and Zella Woods, both colored, following a hearing on charges of disorderly conduct.

They were arrested during a friendly fracas at Sixth and John streets, Sunday morning. Hollingsworth, being a brother of the Woods woman, Dennis Hower, bollermaker arrested

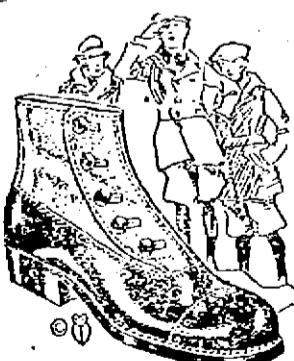
at Eleventh and Waller streets Saturday night for disorderly conduct, was released with a suspended sentence. Mayor Kaps coming to the conclusion that he had been punished sufficiently by having been hit on the head by a bower not hurled by some man, will whom he clashed in a five-dollar fight at a boarding house on Eleventh street.

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Grinn & Leach, Props.
908 Gallia St.

First Class Shoe Repairing Hi-Grade Excelsior Shoes

Suggestions For
Christmas



Boys' Puttees \$3.50 to \$4.00
Boys' Shoes \$3.50 to \$6.00
Boys' Puttees \$2.50 to \$3.00
Boys' Shoes \$2.75 to \$4.50
Men's Shoes \$3.50 to \$10.00
Men's Puttees \$5.00 to \$6.00
Men's Overshoes \$1.25 to \$1.50
Gent's Puttees \$1.00 to \$1.10
Gent's Shoes 99¢ to \$1.00
Red Top Rubber Boots	6 to 10 1-2 \$3

We are still selling those No. 1 Welt Shoes for ladies at \$7, \$8, \$8.25, \$8.50, \$8.75. Come in and look them over.

Cudicura Soap
Imparts
The Velvet Touch

Big Doll
For You
B-B-D-M-L-



Can you fill in the blank spaces above and complete the doll's name?

You can do this if you try. Just write to Aunt Mary and tell her what the name of this doll is and she will tell you how you can get a beautiful doll over 15 inches tall, mounted in the shoulders and hips. This is a cloth doll named, but a real-life doll in a beautiful schoolgirl dress with a lace cap. You will be the proudest godmother neighbor because when you get this doll she is dressed up a little easy work. Aunt Mary has done for every little girl, so be sure to write and tell her your name and address now so she can send you her big free offer.

Address your letter to

Aunt Mary

571 Cedar City, Tex. Missouri

Wheel Is Smashed

A. W. Adams, Oldtime street barker, fell a narrow escape from serious injury Monday afternoon when his bicycle got stuck in the slippers, parting the chain on Marion Hill and stark the hub. A front wheel of the automobile was demolished. The machine was towed to the Overland garage for repairs.

To Fertilize The System Against Grippe LAXATIVE TROMO QUININE tablets which destroy worms as a tonic and laxative and that prevent Grippe, Grippe and Enteritis. There is only one TROMO QUININE. A. W. GROVES' Fertilizer on the West Side.

STRICKERS AND STRICKERS CLASS BUSINESS ADVICE--Strikers on Acacia Street raised a class with their group, the No. 1000 being King and Queen wood.

**Do Your Xmas Shopping at the
Portsmouth Jewelry Store**



and get full benefit of our complete stock of jewelry and optical goods.

Don't miss our special bargain. A (15) jewel Wrist Watch in a 20 year case from \$14.75 and up.

Solid gold Lo. Vaillances from \$3.50 and up.

Solid gold Rings \$1.50 and up.

And more useful gifts for less money.

Our prices can't be duplicated in town.

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By Petition of Our Customers, The Portsmouth Dry Goods, the "Xmas Economy Store" Will Be Open Until 9 O'Clock Wednesday Evening

Give Furs

Jap fox, cross fox, black wolf, black coney, red fox mink, leopard coney and other furs, in separate pieces and sets.

The scarfs are made in full animal shapes, shawl styles, cap effects. Stole scarfs and every other kind. Head, tail and claw trimmed. Satin lined; satin ribbon ties with ball for ends. Muffs are round, no paillet and pillow styles; head, tail and claw trimmed, satin lined.

\$40 Cross Fox Sets \$29.95

Your choice of Jap fox, cross fox, or black Alaska for sets at a saving price. Scarfs are head, tail and claw trimmed. Muffs trimming also with head, tail and claws. All satin lined.

Black Coney Muff \$5.95

A black coney ball muff made head and tail trimmed and satin lined.

Raccoon Fur Pieces \$9.95

Natural raccoon scarfs and muffs in large sizes, both pieces are head, tail and claw trimmed. Lined with satin. Extra good for values.

Cape or Shawl Scarfs \$19.95

Fine quality furs in black, brown and grey furs; shawl, cape and animal scarfs. Some trimmed with 6 to 12 tails, also heads. Satin lined. Some have pockets.

Large Scarfs \$14.95

Shawl, stole and animal scarfs in many styles, heavy and fine furs. Satin lined, head and tail trimmed.



\$2 Silk Hosiery

\$1.49

Women's fine thread silk hose made with back seam, garter top, double toe, sole and heel. Black, white and colors. This quality usually sold at \$2.

\$1 Lace Silk Hose 79c

Lace silk hose and plain silk hose in black, white and colors. Garter top, reinforced toe, sole and heel. An extra good value.



\$1.50 Silk Hosiery 93c

Women's thread silk hose in black, white and colors. Also fancy hose in regular values up to \$2. On sale at 50c a pair.

Handkerchiefs

For Xmas

Thousands of pretty handkerchiefs in lace, lawn, silk and flanne that are beautifully embroidered. Initiated and colored border trimmed. They are packed in holiday boxes ready for giving and packed 1, 3, 4, 5, and 6 in a box.

Per Box 29c, 49c, 69c, 98c

DOLLS

13 Inch, Unbreakable, Romper Doll

This is a nice sized doll made with unbreakable head and movable legs and arms. Full dressed. **49c**

Teddy Bear 98c

A nice teddy bear with movable head, legs and arms. "Junior" size.

Cats, Dogs, Etc. \$1.49

Stuffed cats, dogs and other animals, made of teddy bear cloth. Will stand rough usage.

\$2.50 Elephant \$1.98

A good sized elephant—stuffed with white tufts; rump, tail, etc. Also other sizes.

"Neubisque" Doll 69c

A cute "Neubisque" doll with unbreakable head and body; movable legs and arms. Natural coloring.



Or a Suit Or a Dress

Where would be a more acceptable gift?
Your choice of any women's and misses' suits in our store at 13 OFF the original marked prices. All sizes from 16 inches to 52 stout.

Beautiful silk, satin, georgette crepe, velvet, serge and tricotine dresses in scores of distinctive styles. The prices—Economy Prices—range \$9.95 to \$39.95. Extra value.

\$14.95 and \$24.95

\$8.95

Boys' \$12 Suits,
Overcoat, Mackinaw

All wool suits for boys made with two pair trousers, choice materials. Heavy plaid mackinaws that are extremely chest lined. French and belted overcoats in newest patterns. All sizes to 42s.

Boys' Percale Blouses 98c

Boys' neat striped percale blouses that were carefully cut and carefully made.

\$1.50 Fur-backed Gloves 98c

These are heavy fur backed gloves with black leather palms and warm lined. All sizes.

\$3 "King" Air Rifle \$1.98

A 500 shot "King" air rifle will make your boy happy Xmas.

Boys' \$10 Mackinaw \$6.95

Boys' mackinaw coats, heavy plaid, large collars, corduroy lined, etc. \$6.95 up.

Boys' \$1.50 Pants 98c

Boys' knicker trousers made of assorted woolen materials. Sizes 8 to 17s.



Holiday Suggestions

At Portsmouth Dry Goods' Famous Economy Prices

Girls' Dress 98c Men's Shirts \$1.49 Crocheted Robe \$4.98

Girls' gingham dresses. Made of madras, rayon, etc. for girls' and children 2 to full, carefully saved; made 12 years of age. Belled with 2 ft. cuffs. Choice of styles, assorted patterns, dozens of newest patterns.

Serge Dress \$4.98 Men's Sweater \$2.98

Serge dresses for girls, 6 to 14 years of age. Nearly all wool. Made in sailor and belted styles.

Petticoat \$1.49 75c Stran Purse 49c

Heavy quality black flannel, satin, petticoats, made with ruffled flounce, adjustable at waist.

Silk Camisole 98c Leather Purse 93c

Beautiful silk camisoles in either pink or blue silk. \$1.50 value.

Infants' Outing Gown 63c

Infants' outing gowns in a good quality.

Blue embroidery framed collar and front.

Perfectly Stunning Georgette Crepe Blouses \$4.98

Stunning new models in sheer georgette crepe made with square and round collars, headed and embroidered at front—hemstitched at cuffs, shoulders and collar—choice of no whistles.

\$4 Georgette Crepe Blouses \$2.93

The biggest waist value in the city. Genuine georgette crepe blouses, several good shades, newest roll collar styles.

\$1.65 Voile Waists \$1.19

New assortments in pretty voile waists made in latest styles for Xmas giving.

\$5 Georgette Blouses \$3.93

A fine quality crepe de chine waist made in white, flesh, etc. Novelty styles.

Wool Sweaters \$6.95

Women's heavy knit wool sweaters and coats, all colors included, rose, grey, tan, navy, etc.

Child's \$10 Velvet Coats \$6.95

Pretty velvet coats made with heavier and lighter trimmings. Corded edges. Not a bath robe in this lot can be duplicated for less than \$6.

Girls' \$13.50 Velvet Coat \$9.95

These are in sizes for girls 8 to 14 years. Made of fine velvets and cloth in all leading colors. Very pretty styles—borders, etc. and fur-trimmed. Some gathered back, all full lined.

Girls' \$20 Fine Coats \$14.95

Fine quality cloth and velvet coats for girls—sizes 8 to 14 years. Every desirable style, fitted back, high waisted, belted, loose fitting, etc., in all colors. Full lined and lined.

BATH ROBES \$4.98

About two dozen different patterns in these heavy blanket bath robes. Cord belted, corded edges. Not a bath robe in this lot can be duplicated for less than \$6.

Bath Robes \$6.95

Regular and extra sizes up to 52 in these heavy robes. Spun in patterns, satin ribbon trimmings, corded, etc.

Kimonos, All Kinds \$1.49 up

Plush and crepe kimonos for Xmas giving. Loose and elastic belted styles in scores of patterns.

House Dresses \$1.69 up

Just the thing for sensible living. Made of gingham, percale, flanne, etc. in all kinds at \$1.50 to \$1.95. All sizes 26 to 52.

LIBERTY BONDS

Accepted in payment for purchases at full face value—100 cents on the dollar—just the same as money when used to pay for articles purchased.



JEWELRY
The Beautiful Gift

Beads 40c to \$3.95
Pearl, novelty and fancy beads in every new idea and size. Prices range 40c to \$3.95.

Rings 60c to \$2.95
Beautiful rings with brilliant and fancy stone settings, very attractive. Prices 60c and up.

Brooches, Pins 10c up
Big varieties in brooches, bar pins, beauty pins, shirt waist pins, etc. Prices 10c to \$3.95.

Brush Sets 39c up
Comb and brush sets in ebony and ivory, ready for giving in gift boxes at 39c to \$1.95.

Manicure Sets 40c up
Manicure sets in many kinds and sizes for holiday giving underpriced at 40c to \$1.95.

Bonnet Cap 40c up
Pretty bonnet caps made of lace and silk in many soft colors.



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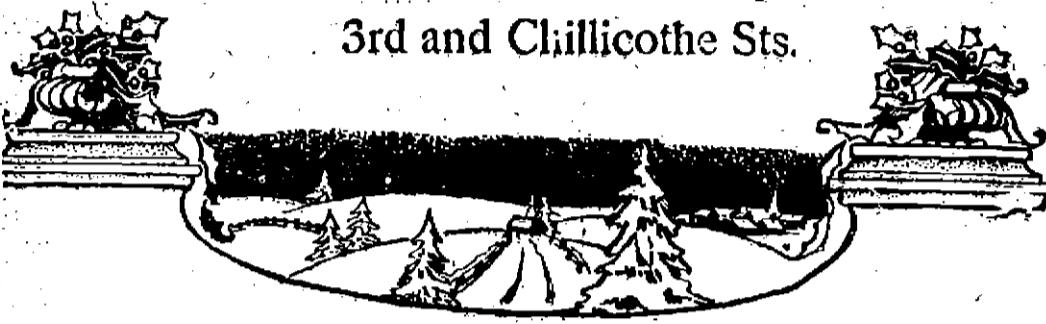
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HOLY REDEEMER CHURCH NEWS

Next Thursday morning at 4:30 a.m. in the loving hearts of millions of men, women and children of various religious thoughts.

While the crisp air of the morning invites to comfort and slumber of a snug bed, millions of ungodly hearts filled with sweet reminiscences of the Child-Christ will fondly think of His arrival in swaddling cloths and lying upon a wisp of straw for a pallet, the gentle happiness sleeping down will end and set aglow the rude, cold and poverty-stricken surroundings of the Saviour's humble birthplace.

Many a soul sojourns in the early dawn will sweetly awaken from deep slumber to the simple shepherds who are watching their flocks on the hillsides of Judea, to listen to the manger to adore the new-born Saviour, around whom all are kneeling the virgin mother Mary and the faithful foster-father Joseph, the heaven-born charioteer. In the light of the new-born Saviour the nations of the earth, having stopped in their mad career for worldly gain and pleasure, make a spirit to pay passing courteous tribute to the newborn Prince of Peace. From all parts of Christendom far and near, bound in love and redemptive with perfume of flowers, or from the mighty west or the boundless Orient, myriads of devout worshippers, all anxiously bending their steps to grand basilicas or humble chapels adorned with lilies and flowers are hastening in imitation of the angels and shepherds to adore the Son of God, who being invisible by nature makes himself visible to all men in the human nature of the Child-Christ.

Want a world of rich meaning the world Christians conceive. Composed of these two words, Christ and mass, when mated they signify the mass of Christ or the nobly-redemptive of the body and blood of Christ, under the appearance of bread and wine, which

is daily offered to the heavenly Father by the ministry of the Catholic church from the rising to the setting sun in every part of the earth. By the universal custom of Christendom this worship begins the hallowed word of the human race used to express the annual anniversary birthday of Christ and at the same time signifies the grand form of Catholic worship, with which the mother church, fittingly observes and pays divine honor to Jesus Christ on His birthday. Every Catholic priest on Christmas is allowed to celebrate three masses in honor of the three persons of the Blessed Trinity.

The first mass on Christmas will be celebrated at 4:30, followed immediately by another mass. The last mass will be said at 8:30.

The collections taken up at all the masses will be for the benefit of the orphaned orphans. Last year the Holy Redeemer Church presented to the orphans the large sum of eleven hundred and one dollars, the second largest offering in the diocese. This worthy charity blesses both the giver and recipient. Father Carey will assist the pastor on Wednesday morning and afternoon until 5 o'clock, hearing confessions. School children will be heard at 8 o'clock Wednesday

morning. Sunday afternoon a very impressive ceremony took place in Holy Redeemer Church, never to be forgotten by all concerned. The pastor had the supreme pleasure of receiving into the Catholic church seven converts. This is the first time the pastor on any one occasion ever baptized seven men.

Leave Friday
Clem Stettinius, W. S. Pixley and O. R. Hyland will leave Friday for New York City to attend the Arbuckle convention to be held there three days.

Call A. J. Dodge, 1796 for Christmas trees, 22 ct. nose & night.

When you "know"
you have a stomach it's time to suspect your liver. You need Beecham's Pills. A lazy liver and overworked kidneys allow food poisons to circulate in the blood and irritate the entire body.

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Guaranteed safe of any addition in the world. Sold everywhere. 10 boxes, 10c. 25c.

ASK YOUR DEALER FOR PEERLESS ICE CREAM



YOUR CHRISTMAS DESSERT

This year should be a heaping dish of our superlative ice cream. Why bother with pudding making or pie baking that takes so much time and trouble when you can have an all ready to eat delicious dessert like our ice cream. Besides think of the saving. Our ice cream is the cheapest as well as the best of all desserts.

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The Ker Knit Hosiery House

1011 Gallia Street

Have you seen our line of Hosiery, Gloves, Belts, Suspenders, Collars, Ties, Garters, Arm Bands, etc.? If not, come in and have a look. We are making special prices for Xmas. We carry the most complete line of hosiery in the city for Ladies, Misses, Children and Infants—all sizes and colors of hose. We are the house for silk hose. We buy direct from the mills and guarantee to save you money.

We are making a special run on the famous Chapman Silks, Prices from 75c to \$3.50—all colors, including the Japan Silk.

Silks, Mercerized, Lisle, Cotton, Worsted, Cashmere and Wool.

The only exclusive hosiery house in the city.

Special prices on all ladies' silks for Xmas.

Complete Line of Union Label Goods

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Selby Block



Foresters Met Sunday

The regular meeting of the Catholic Order of Foresters was held Sunday afternoon in Ben Huie hall, two candidates, Carroll Billian and Charles Knott, being initiated. This meeting takes the place of the regular one which was to have been held on Christmas eve. The Foresters' Club will have charge of the next C. O. F. dance to be held January 11.

Case Continued
Earl Crawford was before Judge O'Leary in Probate Court Monday on a charge of contempt to the defendant of Martha McPherson, also minor wife. The case was only partially heard it being continued for further evidence. Crawford denied the charge.

Sunday School Picture
Sunday was really dry at Alex Ch. pub. 5 School and after the service a picture was taken of the entire school.

Pack from Cincinnati
Leader Goodman of the United Woolen company has returned from a business trip to Cincinnati.

HER XMAS PRESENT

Perfumes, toilet water, combination sets 50c to \$2.00.

Odor Jontee that popular expensive exclusive odor of 26 flowers in black satin in gold lined box—only \$3.00 a box.

Manicure sets—beautiful leather rolls, packets and trays containing 12 to 15 different articles from \$2 to \$15.

Genuine French ivory and ebony toilet sets—comb, brush and mirror \$3.75 to \$15.00.

Guaranteed fountain pens, Waterman, Parker and Rexall Pens from \$1.95 to \$6.00.

Huyler's, Liggett's and Guth chocolates and bon bons—California Glace Fruits—hundreds of boxes from 1 to 5 lb. boxes.

Stationery, beautiful symphony lawn—the exquisite stylized writing paper—boxes from 50c to \$2.00. See our 29c and 39c special box paper.

Kodaks, Brownies, Albums, Etc.

Wurster's

The Rexall Store

Kodaks, Drugs, Soda

**419 Chillicothe St.
Portsmouth, Ohio**

Joseph Brown

813-815 Gallia Street
Kricker Building

Gifts For Father, Son and Brother



Overcoats of the finest quality are at a premium this season. Our early purchases stand between you and the high prices. The value for the money as evidenced by our present price range is a credit to this store's buying foresight. (Bloch's) highly developed Overcoat styles produced exclusively for us from the world's choicest materials and a large assortment of the very best Overcoatings.

Suits of rare luxury in fabric is a credit to this store's buying men and young men of keen discrimination. Custom-like tailoring with soft construction. The styles range from the lively, forceful designs for young men to the quiet, reserved models for older men.

Buy your boy a Suit or Overcoat. He will appreciate it the entire season.

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813-815 Gallia Street

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"Tiarine Candy," full pound

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QR'S
BUTTER ROLLS

Make a Christmas Present to the Whole Family, one that will add to the merriment and happiness of the holidays and then be a permanent source of enjoyment to your home.

The Ray-Graham Co.
MUSIC SHOP
819 Gallia Street
Open Evenings

Says Husband Enlisted As Single Man; Gets Divorce

Bertha Copley, Dexter avenue, was granted a decree by Judge Thomas in common pleas court yesterday, divorcing her from Roy Copley, whom she married May 16, 1917. The decree was granted on the grounds of neglect and disability and the defendant was directed to pay all interest in her property to her attorney.

The plaintiff told the court that Copley on Nov. 15, 1918, enlisted in the United States Navy, representing himself to be a single man, and that it was several months before she ascertained his whereabouts. Last May when he was discharged and returned home she took him back, she said, believing that he would do his duty toward her as a husband, but, she declared, on August 30, he again deserted her and has not been heard of since. Mark A. Crawford, attorney for the wife.

White Is Better
Stanley White, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leo White of Fourteenth Street, who was seriously injured last week when run over by a Ford truck, is getting along as well as could be expected. He suffered injuries to his head and ribs. He will be able to sit up a little on Christmas day.

Enforcement Of Sparks Hotel Act Is Held Up

Local members of the Hotelkeepers' Protective Association of Ohio have been advised by Foster G. Burdell, treasurer of the organization, that enforcement of the Sparks hotel act has been held up by a temporary restraining order issued by Judge Kinkaid of the Common Pleas Court of Franklin County.

Waiting final decision as to the validity of the act, hotel men will

not be required to carry out the provisions of the law, the communiqué says. In addition to stipulating a license fee for hotels, the law imposes more rigid sanitary and fire prevention measures than are now required.

Enforcement of the law was placed under the control of the State Fire Marshal who under the temporary order by Judge Kinkaid, is restrained from carrying out the provisions of the act.

The most serious old-timers who have come from owners of the smaller hotels who complain that enforcement of the law will practically put them out of business.

Sealed To Death

Astoria, Ky., December 27.—Jasper Kato, 28 years old, was sealed while at work at the Kentucky Slaughterhouse and he died a few minutes later. He came here from Canada, Lawrence County.

"Famine Candy," 100 pound bagged chocolates, 75 cents. Play House.

There's no need of suffering and of

driving your family and friends to distressing symptoms when your doctor or your grocer can supply you with these time-proven remedies.

Take yourself by securing them to-day.

Advise friends to do the same.

Indiaize the New Year

And enjoy the full benefits of a really good tire that is guaranteed to give the full mileage without trouble and one wear on roads when that time comes, for India tires are built seven layers of reinforced fabric deep—a foundation that cannot be excelled.

Valentines, Gates Half Soles and Re-treaded Tires.

SHELA BROS.

106 Gallia St.

Phone 119

After having the evidence in the suit to the defendant on her cross-petition, the couple were married May 11, 1918, and the plaintiff, a widow, \$1250 per week attorney, to support her husband, Roy Copley, 1958 Eighth street, Toledo, Ohio, her and their three children. The defendant, Sheriff Johnson, was the attorney for the plaintiff, the position of whose was obtained on the charge of counsel for the plaintiff, while attorney

for the defendant represented the boy.

ROY LOGGS POLICE IN STATION

NEW YORK.—A small boy, who was

referred to as a Negro, was

beaten disorderly, Tom Meadows, a minor,

was shot and killed by Sheriff Frank Spencer.

MINER SHOT BY SHERIFF

STEAMERS, KY.—Alleged to have

been disorderly, Tom Meadows, a minor,

was shot and killed by Sheriff

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IN CINCINNATI

For Joseph Gill of Third street, in

his police station for over an hour,

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WANTED—Experiment middle aged
lady to work in kitchen. Famous
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WANTED—4 or 5 furnished rooms or
a flat. Supt. of Scholastic hospital.
Phone 1021. 16-11

WANTED—To buy second hand furni-
ture, stoves, clothes and shoes.
Perry Stephens. Phone 2301 X. 22-21

WANTED—Local and long distance
moving with one ton truck. Phone
Boston 0-1. Henry Marshall. 22-21

WANTED—Moving to no charge ask
J. Arthur's Garage. 22-21

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FOR SALE—Room with pantry
from old solid aluminum
ware, calendar and life size por-
celain. Tell our price before buy-
ing. We can save you money.
Strother's Old Market. 14-16

FOR SALE—One clock writer, paper
box, one hundred gallon oil tank,
one writing desk. Kenny's Grocery.
Phone 1020. 14-16

FOR SALE—Christmas tree ornaments,
the lot of Royal Candy, the
state plate and glass to buy
your Xmas basket of treats, also
new candles and cigar.

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Rings. 14-16. 5 and 10 carat
movements. Price \$125. Other gold
properties. Phone 1884-X. J. J.
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FOR SALE—Good 10 cent radio.
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Farms, suburban and city prop-
erty, moved to 1622 Dewey ave.
Phone 1805-R.

FOR SALE—5 cows, 41 Ohio are
for New Boston. 22-21

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COURT HOUSE

Battif Gets Suspended Sentence
Cornelia Battif, 48, was given a
suspended sentence to the penitentiary
by Judge Thomas today when he ap-
peared in court and changed his plea
from not guilty to guilty to an indict-
ment charging him with failing to pro-
vide for the three illegitimate children
of whom he is the reputed father, of
Oral Young, Kline street.

Battif was arrested at Huntington
and brought here on Oct. 29 and has
since been in jail. The sentence was
suspended on condition that he pay
\$5 a week for the support of the chil-
dren, who are now inmates of the
children's home.

Emory Wants a Divorce
Charging Infidelity and railing one
B. M. Frazier as co-pendant, Callay
Emory is seeking a divorce in an ac-
tion filed in common pleas court today
through Attorneys Blair & Blair
against Anna Emory, whom he mar-
ried Oct. 14, 1910.

Case Dismissed
An action to dismiss the divorce
suit of Deane C. Holman and Stephen
E. Holman was filed with Clerk of the
Courts Cunningham today. The suit
was dismissed by agreement with the
couple, who it is said, have reconciled
their troubles and kissed and made
up. Attorney E. J. Decker.

Wain's Divorce And Child
A divorce with co-custody of their min-
or child is sought in an action instituted
by Ida May Scott in Common
Pleas court today, sitting through Atty.
W. C. McCoy against Leonard N. Scott,
whom she married February 29, 1912,
in this city.

In her petition the plaintiff alleges
that Scott for more than three years
has been guilty of gross neglect of duty
and contempt that he has entirely
failed to provide for her and their
child, now aged 7 years, with a proper
home or even the necessities of life.

Damage Suit Settled

The suit of James McCoy against
former police cap in Room B. Walker
and his local Southern Surety Co.,
has been compromised, according to an
action filed today in the office of the
Clerk of the Courts, discussing the
case.

The suit grew out of an alleged
assault upon the plaintiff by Walker
at the Big 8-iron, 117 Market St.,
on the night of October 12, 1918, and
McCoy brought suit for \$500 damages
for alleged false arrest. He received
\$200 in the settlement, it was stated.

Walker was indicted and convicted
on a charge of assault and battery on
McCoy, who is an aged West End
couple, who it is said, have reconciled
their troubles and kissed and made
up. Attorney E. J. Decker.

OBITUARY

E. P. Miller

Take sorrow for another son of Pike
county's rapidly increasing popu-
lation of Civil War veterans last Mon-
day night when E. P. Miller, 76 years, a man
old passed away in the office of Dr. James
C. M. Mooney in Columbus, who he
had been taken for treatment on the
previous day.

Wiltoski Funeral

Funeral services of the late Mrs.
Wilmot, Wilmot, who died early Monday
morning at her home in Buena Vista,
where funeral services will be con-
ducted Wednesday morning at ten
o'clock when the body will be re-
turned to the family residence, 106
Wiltoski, in the cemetery, West Union,
where the services will be held.

Frank Bushbaum

Frank Bushbaum, one of Ironton's
pioneer residents, passed away re-
sting yesterday at his home on South
Eighth street. The deceased was born
at Madison Furnace, Vinton county, on
Dec. 3, 1861. He came here from
Pine Grove about sixteen years ago
and has since that time made his home
in the city. Mr. Bushbaum was for
nearly a year employee at the Foster Stove
Foundry—Ironton.

Woods Funeral

The funeral services of Freda Mate,
the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs.
Harriet Woods, of Portsmouth, who
died Friday from the effects of burns,
was conducted Monday morning at 10
o'clock from the First Baptist church
by Rev. H. G. Kline and daughter, Mabel
M. Woods. Mrs. K. P. Kline and daughter, Mabel
and Attorney P. C. Roth, Mrs. W.H.
Grant, Mrs. A. J. Gray, and Mr. and
Mrs. Ed Allard and other relatives of
Ironton attended the funeral. Burial
was in Greenlawn cemetery.

Confers To Kelbrey.

Harry Fisher and Charles Frenier,
twelve-year-old youths of Waverly,
were arrested yesterday by Mr. Rinal
Fisher, Waverly, on that charge
of having burglarized S. H. Dam-
son's grocery house, 1st and Sond
night. They called at 8:30 were still
there. The two boys were recovered at
Pike, where the youths are said to
have sold them to John Deloy. The
youths pleaded guilty when taken before
Juvenile Judge Gra. E. Borch
and confessed they had been in-
vited to a robbery of Mrs. Fisher's
grocery store.

Funeral Wednesday

The remains of Mrs. Ida Harness,
who passed away 1st Thursday at her
home in Rochester, N. Y., will be
brought to Waverly this evening on N.
W. & W. passenger train No. 32, and will
be interred at 10 a.m. Wednesday.

FOR RENT—Furnished Room

conveniences at 1017 3rd. 22-21

FOR RENT—2 furnished house

keeping rooms with bath. Phone 1010 X.
to which institution they were re-
turned by Judge Borch.

FOR RENT—2 furnished rooms

for light housekeeping to adults
at 123 Union. 22-21

FOR RENT—Sleeping room with bath.

202 Court. Phone 231-1. 22-21

FOR RENT—2 light housekeeping

rooms with phone and bath at 103
6th street. 22-21

FOR RENT—2 light housekeeping

rooms. Call after 5 p.m. 22-21

FOR RENT—Rooms, 1101 6th St.

Branch Office. Home Phone 2235

LOST

LOST—Pair of double lens glasses
dark blue shell case at Malvern
8:30 night. Phone 910 X. 22-21

LOST—Black robe with red ties on it.

Return to Knittel Bakery. 22-21

LOST—Three packages that were put
in wrong Ford car parked in front
of Central National Bank Saturday.

Phone Farm Operator 1600. 22-21

LOST—Child's glasses on Washington
Eleventh, Children's or Twelfth
Street in 1121 Washington. 22-21

NOTICE—W.M. party who carried
away \$1000 box of Met. a cheater
with many handpainted cover, return
same at once to Fisher and
Stebich and no questions will be
asked. 22-21

NOTICE—Jewelry between 11 and
12 o'clock on Saturday night. 22-21

NOTICE—Unclaimed Jewelry
and Diamonds. 22-21

WOLFF

Samuel Goldwyn and Rex Beach
PresentRupert Hughes'
Famous Story*"The Cup of Fury"*

Which was the real woman?

In this beautiful body there were two girls — no, three, four or more. The discontented village girl, the runaway, the vaudville actress, the adopted daughter of wealth, the society butterfly, the mimograph — the ship-builder — which was the real girl?

She didn't know herself — the man who loved her didn't know.

Once more Rupert Hughes has struck the bell. Once more he has written and Goldwyn has produced a great American picture.

A picture that will be seen with wonder and excitement from the Atlantic to the Pacific. It is the biggest picture of them all — the most powerful — the most intensely American in spirit.

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MOTION PICTURES

Chimes To Proclaim Advent of Joyous Yuletide

Sweet and clear, on Thursday morning at 4 o'clock, the joyous Christmas tidings of "Peace On Earth, Good Will Toward Men" will be proclaimed in Portsmouth by the 11th Relemeer chimes. A most fitting program has been arranged and will be heard in the following order:

- (a) Silent Night, Holy Night;
- (b) Joy To The World;
- (c) Hark, The Herald Angels Sing;
- (d) O Little Town of Bethlehem;
- (e) Alleluia Fideles;
- (f) It Came Upon the Midnight Clear.

The music of the chimes will precede the early mass services in the beautifully decorated church.

This service, always of an inspiring nature, is always attended by a number of strangers who are always welcome.

Short Meeting

A short meeting of Magnolia Lodge No. 21 was held last night when one candidate, Fred Meeks, was given the first degree. The meeting adjourned early on account of the D. O. K. K. meeting.

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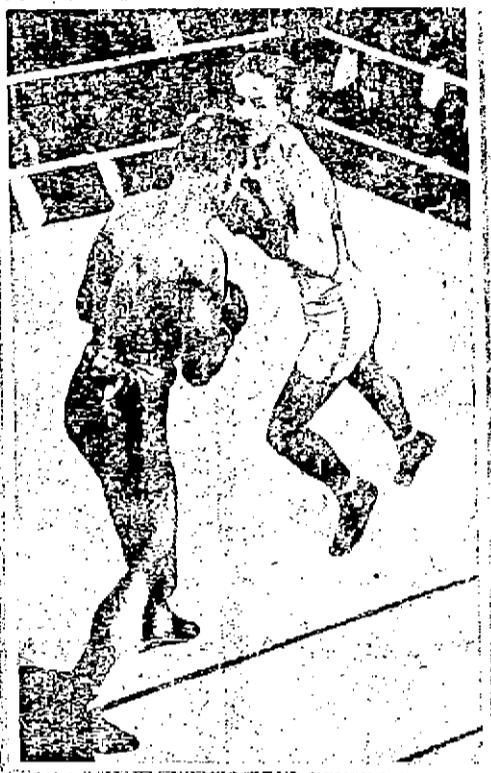
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IN THE CITY
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Selects Book Games

The Select Basketball team has Yours night, to face the Elks, the champion Catholic team of Ohio. The Athletic club, at Circleville on Christ- mas night. This team, composed of some of the finest basketballers of the year, Edwards, Dell, Wills, and Baughman, will journey to Cincinnati New Year's Eve and make the Circleville trip.

FIRST PICTURES OF CARPENTIER-BECKETT BOUT



The finishing punch.

Watch Party A special meeting of the D. O. K. K. watch party. The watch party is being held last night when it was arranged so the wives and friends of the members to have a big meeting and watch. Daddies can enjoy the entertainment on New Year's eve. At the features planned by the organization meeting there will be initiation, which

ceremonies will be followed by the

last hour of 1919.

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WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—The American people have been informed by Attorney General Palmer, that they may expect a decline in retail food prices with the advent of the new year, and, owing at this time, the announcement will add cheer to the yuletide, celebration.

Retail food prices ordinarily show a downward trend during the first two months of a year, Attorney General Palmer explained, and it is believed that this trend will be accelerated this year by the campaign initiated by the campaign initiated by

the government in the cost of living, which is already under control, the attorney general said, are increased production, the elimination of extravagance buying and the determined hunting down of profiteers.

"If every one who produces will

produce his utmost, if those who buy and consume will save and eliminate extravagance, and if all honest people will join with the department of justice in stamping out profiteering and hoarding, the cost of living can be reduced," he declared.

WAYS WILL BE FOUND TO KEEP FAITH IN STRIKE SETTLEMENT,--PALMER

WASHINGTON, D. C., Dec. 23.—The controversy between the operators and Attorney General Palmer regarding the coal strike settlement terms, probably will go over until after the Christmas holidays. The statement of Mr. Palmer that "the government will not assume that the operators will break faith, and, indeed, ways will be found to keep faith in this vitally important transaction," was considered today by those directly concerned in the coal situation.

To just what extent the statement

will be taken as a cue to the attorney general's future action was today a subject of wide discussion. In some quarters it was regarded as an indication that Attorney General Palmer planned to bring the full pressure of the government to bear, if necessary, to carry out President Wilson's proposal for the settlement of the coal con-

vention.

EGGS TAKE DROP

CHICAGO.—As a result of boycott ini-

tiated by Chicago housewives, the

price of fresh eggs dropped 12 cents a

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NEGOTIATE ON COMPROMISE AGREEMENT

WASHINGTON, Dec. 23.—With both sides apparently willing to give and take, the effort to reach a compromise agreement for ratification of the peace treaty was reported progressing satisfactorily at conferences here between Senate leaders of both parties.

Early ratification of the treaty was predicted by some senators with prospect of such action before January 10, which would give President Wilson an opportunity to lift wartime prohibition and grant the country a war period, before the constitutional amendment becomes effective on that date.

All senators remaining in Washington during the holidays probably will be called upon to participate in the treaty conference. From present indications, the senators are going ahead with the compromise project without awaiting further word from the White House. It was pointed out, however, that President Wilson might again intercede in the treaty fight if he did not approve reservations accepted by members of his party.

RATIFICATION BEFORE NEW YEAR IMPOSSIBLE

PARIS, Dec. 23.—Exchange of ratifications of the German peace treaty before the end of the year is considered in French official circles as impossible. This opinion was formed today when the head of the German delegation here announced that he would be obliged to return to Berlin to consult with the government on the latest allied communiqué.

ASHTABULA, O., Dec. 23.—City council last evening passed an ordinance providing for the purchase by the city of the Ashtabula Rapid Transit Line. The purchase price is \$200,000.

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15 RUSSIANS SOAKED

KANSAS CITY, Mo.—For holding unlawful meetings 15 Russians, said to be members of the communist party, were fined \$100 each in police-court in Kansas City, Kansas.

HUNTING ACCIDENT

NEW PHILADELPHIA.—Clarence Brown, 19, of Johnstown, died from injuries received while hunting.

TURK LEADER ASSASSINATED

ROME, Dec. 23.—Mustapha Kemal, leader of the Turkish insurgents in Anatolia and head of the Turkish nationalist movement in Asia Minor, has been assassinated, according to a Smyrna dispatch to the *Tempo*.

KANSAS STRIKE LEADER IS STILL IN JAIL

INDIANAPOLIS, IND., Dec. 23.—There was nothing today to indicate when a decision will be announced as to the amount of bond to be required of Alexander Howat, of Pittsburgh, Kansas, president District 14 of the United Mine Workers of America, who yesterday was committed to jail by United States District Judge A. B. Anderson, pending hearing next Monday on charges of criminal contempt. Howat is alleged to have violated the federal court injunction against furtherance of the coal miners' strike by the Soviet military school, will aid in the campaign, it is said.

Relevant statements by Trotsky are quoted to the effect that he believes Bolshevism to be firmly rooted and sprouting in China, where a Bolshevik revolution is expected shortly. It is declared Trotsky intends to use China as a carrying out his project of an invasion of western Europe.

GENEVA, Dec. 22.—Preparations for a great Bolshevik offensive against Poland is planned next spring by Leon Trotsky, soviet minister of war and war in Russia, according to a Warsaw dispatch received here. Chinese troops, who are being recruited at the rate of \$800 per day and trained in the Soviet military school, will aid in the campaign, it is said.

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SAN ANTONIO, TEX., Dec. 23.—President Carranza has accepted the resignation of General Pablo Gonzales, of the Mexican federal army, in order that he may become a candidate for the presidency, according to newspaper dispatches from the capital today. He still refused to withdraw his objection to the resignation of General Alvaro Obregon, it is said. General Obregon was named as lieutenant colonel by the president recently, a position designed to keep him from entering the race.

WEATHER

OHIO—Cloudy tonight and Wednesday, probably snow flurries in extreme northern portion; colder Wednesday, fresh southwest, shifting to northwest, winds Wednesday.

ROYAL ARCH MASON TO MEET

ASHEVILLE, N. C.—Announcement is made that triennial convention of grand lodge Royal Arch Masons of the United States, will be held in Asheville in September, 1921.

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ILLEGAL OPERATION PERFORMED

LAWTON, Okla., Dec. 23.—A signed statement indicating Joseph Virgo of performing an illegal operation upon Maude Taber has been made by Mrs. Sarah Taber, 89 year old mother of the brilliant linguist, whose body was found in a trunk in the basement of her home here. Assistant Prosecutor Glenn Warner announced this morning.

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LONDON, Dec. 23.—The troops of General Peturka, anti-Bolshevik commander in Ukraine, have been surrounded by soviet forces in the vicinity of Berdichev, in the province of Kiev, 24 miles south of Poltava, according to a wireless dispatch from Moscow received here today.

MEDAL FOR COLUMBIA MEN

NEW YORK.—President Nicolas Murray Butler receives medal from French government commemorating achievements of the 10,000 Columbia men who served in war.

OPENING STOCKS

NEW YORK, Dec. 23.—Gains and losses were equally distributed at the dull opening of today's stock market but the tone soon improved on moderate demand for steels, equipments and oils. Investment calls also strengthened, especially on railroads. Norfolk & Western, guiding two points. Specialties were featured by tobacco and spirit shares. Industrial Alcohol rising 1/2 points. General Motors was heavy at the outset but rallied with rotated shares within the first half hour.

BRANDS PLAN "PANACEA FOR ILLS OF IRELAND"

DUBLIN, Dec. 23.—In commenting upon the speech made by Premier Lloyd George in the house of commons yesterday, during which the premier outlined the provisions of the proposed Irish home rule bill, the Freeman's Journal says Mr. Lloyd George

"in the presence of the American ambassador, but in the absence of every representative of the majority of the Irish people, explained to the house his panacea for the ills of Ireland." "Even the few Irish nationalist members who have survived the prime minister's past treacheries and betrayals, absented themselves," the newspaper continues.

"They probably had a foretaste that their gesture of contempt would be warmly approved by the white Irish nation and race. As a matter of fact, they were merely obeying the command of their dead leader, given him by and they withdrew from the house upon the first declaration of the prime minister's intentions to permanently partition their country."

The Irish Times says that for many reasons "some good, some bad, some wise and some mad," three-quarters of the Irish people will reject the bill.

BANDITS HOLD UP MESSENGER

AKRON, O., Dec. 23.—Dan Toporek, messenger of the Commercial Savings Bank here, was carrying a safe containing \$15,000 in currency when he was held up by two armed men and robbers. Police have no clue to the robbers.

WANT PEACE WITH POLAND

LONDON, Dec. 23.—Teitchevsky, Russian Bolshevik, instigator of foreign affairs, was offered to begin immediate peace negotiations with Poland, according to a wireless dispatch from Moscow. The Polish government was requested to indicate the time and place it would like the negotiations to open.

FIREMAN PLUNGES OFF BRIDGE

CLEVELAND, O., Dec. 23.—Edward Brumaghin, 35, conductor on the Lake Erie Railroad, was instantly killed this morning when he plunged 100 feet from the Cuyahoga Bridge, which crosses the Cuyahoga Valley south of the city. As the train slowed down in crossing the bridge, Brumaghin stepped from the engine, unable, because of the fog, to see that it was still on the high trestle.

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Ohio State Has Great Football Schedule For Next Season

Oberlin And Chicago To Be Played By Scarlet And Grey

COLUMBUS, Ohio, December 23.—The most satisfactory schedule in the history of Ohio State football has been arranged for the 1920 team. Five games with Western Conference teams and two games with Ohio eleven's comprise the card. The addition of the University of Chicago to the Buckeye schedule is considered one of the best advances made here in some time. The complete schedule is:

October 2—Ohio Wesleyan
October 9—Oberlin
October 16—Purdue
October 23—Wisconsin
October 30—Chicago at Columbus
November 6—Michigan
November 13—Open date
November 20—Illinois at Columbus
In contrast to recent seasons October will be featured by hard contests, is finished in that time.

Selects Book Games

The Select Basketball team has scheduled a game with the Circleville Athletic club, at Circleville on Christmas night. This team, composed of some of the finest basketeers of the city, will journey to Clarendon New

Years night, to tackle the Friars, the champion Catholic team of Ohio. A number of men are out for positions on the Select team but from the present outlook, Barber, Woods, Porter, Edwards, Dell, Wells, and Daesman will make the Circleville trip.

Trying For Fourth Team

COLUMBUS, Ohio, December 23.—"Cale" Harter, premier halfback, holder of one of the big Ten dash records, member of the Western Conference baseball title holders of 1917, is trying for his fourth Ohio State team. During the past week he ap-

peared for basketball and has already made an excellent impression as a guard. If he wins a letter in the court game this winter he will be the first Ohio State athlete to have accomplished this feat.

Team May Invade Japan

CHICAGO, Dec. 23.—Invasion of Japan by the University of Chicago baseball team today was discussed on the campus as one of next summer's probabilities. The players will leave home playing along the route to the

Hawaiian Islands. Japan was invaded in 1915.

Leonard Beats Abel

ATLANTA—Benny Leonard, light weight champion, gained the newspaper decision over Jake Abel, local feather weight, in ten rounds here last night.

MORAN WINS

NEWARK, N. J., Dec. 23.—Frank Moran, Pittsburgh heavy weight, knocked out Sergeant Jack Burke, Chicago heavy weight, in the first round of a scheduled eight round bout here last night.

Skating Devotees Enjoy Real Sport

Scores of devotees of the sport, young and old, enjoyed the first skating of the season on the bottoms back of Hempstead hospital yesterday.

A thick layer of ice was left on the bottom back when the high water receded, providing an ideal place for the skaters.

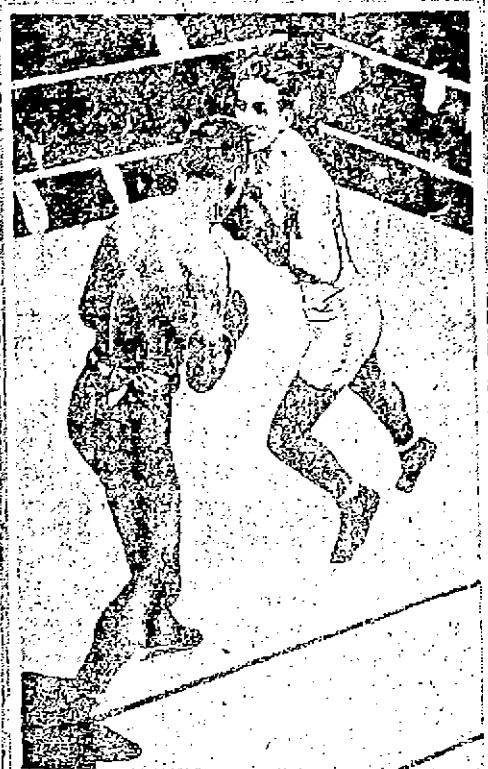
Very True.
That a man may be "down" and not out is also true of the match player in golf.—Boston Transcript.

PENNY ANTE



Inviting The Last Loser

FIRST VIEWS OF CARPENTIER BECKETT BOUT IN LONDON



The finishing punch.

STATE'S FLOOR SQUAD TO MAKE TOUR

COLUMBUS, Ohio, December 23.—While other students are homeward bound for Christmas and New Years, the Ohio State basketball men are putting in some hard ticks in anticipation of eight contests before classes are resumed. With two games under their belts and the hardest schedule in the history of Ohio State basketball ahead of them the Buckeyes are determined to keep up their good work.

About a dozen players will be taken along for the six or seven game series, make their appearance on the trip.

BOWLING

The crack Whitaker-Glessner bowling team experienced little difficulty in polishing off the Masque All-Stars at the May House alleys last night by a margin of 55 pins. The Steelheaders won every game, although they did not run away at any time from their adversaries, but always held the edge and were there in the pinch. Bryan-Prediger, the ace of the local bowling world was unable to be present, but his place was anchor man was acceptably filled by Earl Clare, who shot high score and high total of the evening. He got 225 in the first game and then subsided, although he finished with a total of 529 which is good enough for any company. Clare was thrown in the breach when Prediger failed to report due to sickness in his family, and he went like a trip hammer all evening, getting a total of 240 and more strikes than have been staged by the Industrial world at large. "Dad" Walters, the Wheelersburg Ganger, was in pretty good form. Pishburn and Federmyer, two new faces in the Steel Plant line up, were far below the mark set for them, but it was possibly due to the strange surroundings. The two boys are both track marksmen and will prove their worth the next time out. Harry Jefferson was high man for the Masons, getting 240 and shooting consistently all evening. Ed Lewis was the second best bowler, with George Patton trailing third. Springer, who bowled under a handicap, spelled a fine game with his third game. Sheridan shot like a blind man and could not have located the king pin with a surveyor's instrument. The two teams will complete the match with three games on the Fellowship alleys within the next few days. A large crowd was out to see the match but there was not that rampant enthusiasm so characteristic of ye old days. The scores:

	MASONS			
Springer	171	178	122	471
Patten	167	173	202	542
Lewis	175	215	159	541
Sheridan	162	146	138	443
Jefferson	179	201	175	553
Totals	846	884	861	2591
WHITAKER-GLESSNER				
Walters	190	192	184	566
Hamp	195	187	183	567
Pishburn	135	130	111	426
Federmyer	124	117	138	462
Clare	225	177	168	565
Totals	885	885	874	2634

Property Small.

It was Bobbie's first day at kindergarten and the teacher asked each of the children to draw a picture of an apple. They all did so, then the teacher had them draw the different drawings, pencil each one in turn. When she came to Bobbie's it was just a tiny little ring on the paper and one could scarcely see it. She said, "Well, Bobbie, that is pretty small for an apple. Not to be beaten by the others, Bobbie said, "But that is a crab apple."

Ancient Bell

The author of the article of East Hunter, in the recent issue, was very anxious to have the article published in the A. D. SOS. It is a true fact that the following belongs to an antiquity in Spain, having been brought to the United States in some ships as ballast.

Miss Pauline Goldmark.

Miss Pauline Goldmark, manager of the women's service section of the U. S. railroad administration, is a strong advocate of equal pay for equal work. Miss Goldmark represented the interest of 101,000 women employed by the railroads during the war and the 80,000 who have remained in the service since. She has an excellent opportunity to make some interesting studies of women's history and labor that will interest the business world.

Never Touched Hand.

A bullet, traveling straight for the heart of a Toledo policeman in the officers' bazaar, passed it right through the heart and into the trousers worn them out in other directions all too soon in these days of cruel talkings.

SALEM

The trustees of Salem church have improved the looks of the church by laying a new floor. The Ladies Aid are refurbishing the house with new carpet, lamps, etc., and are also renovating the interior complete.

Mrs. Ada Shoemaker was visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. George Wilson the past week.

Mrs. Elizabeth Bonzo and Mrs. Rosalie Dodge were shopping in Portsmouth last week.

Mr. Cole was doing some carpenter work for Mrs. Kraus last week.

Frank Erwin of Minford has purchased a new auto truck and is doing a hustling business in trucking.

Henry Kinkler was a business visitor at Portsmouth Friday.

The recent rains have retarded work of completing the high place which is being installed at the new church.

Samuel Shoemaker purchased a cow from Walter Wheeler of Minford.

Miss Rose Cole has been the guest of Mrs. Calie Cole the past week.

George McDonald has moved to his new farm near Wallace Mills.

Dolman White and Orville Flack were the Sunday guests of Carl Dodge.

Misses Florence and Ethel Wilson were the Saturday guests of Mrs. Dodge.

Carl Bonzo was a business visitor at Portsmouth recently.

Mr. and Mrs. John Galvin and children were calling on Mr. and Mrs. James Erwin of Minford recently.

Mrs. Julia Alexander and children Nelle and Virginia were the guests of Mrs. Justin Bonzo recently.

Lyde Bouzo, the tosorful artist, is doing a hustling business at the same old stand.

William Cascholt was the Sunday guest of John J. Dodge.

Henry Kinkler was calling on George McDonald Sunday.

Mrs. Flora Lockbaum is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. George Powell of Mt. Carmel.

GRAVEL HILL

Rev. Union of Waverly preached at the Glades Sunday night.

George Curn and family of Rock Creek have moved to near London, Madison county, O.

Sampson Siegan has bought the property of George Karp and has moved to it.

Mrs. Warren Gilliland of Mabees is laid up with rheumatism.

Lottie Reed of Mabees was shopping in Jackson one day last week.

Mr. Dever of Mabees, who has been laid up with cancer on his face, is now better.

Lowell Jenkins and wife and Clarence Heigel of Heigel Ridge, were shopping in Jackson last Saturday.

COUNTY NEWS

Percy Doehm of Buena Vista spent Saturday in Portsmouth on business. Miss Hazel and Matel Shaw of Buena Vista were the guests Sunday of friends at Rose.

George Heidman and C. Holsinger of McGaw, were visitors to Portsmouth yesterday.

Mrs. Robert Kress and son, Robert of Buena Vista were visiting friends in Portsmouth Saturday.

Mack Hodge of Portsmouth spent Sunday with home, folks in Buena Vista.

Jerlin Green of Buena Vista was a business visitor in Portsmouth today.

Miss Ella Hatzelbauer, employed by the Orphanage Department, Washington, D. C. is the guest of her parents Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hatzelbauer of Oregon.

Members of the Christian Union Sunday School of Otsego have everything in readiness for their entertainment to be given Wednesday evening at the church.

South Webster Schools will close Wednesday and will not resume work until Monday, January fifth. Appropriate exercises will be given in observance of Christmas Day.

Miss Myrtle Hatzelbauer of Otsego was shopping in the city Saturday and visiting friends.

Cats Tell the Time of Day.

In various parts of Turkey the watch and the clock are extremely rare, but the natives have an exceedingly ingenious way of approximating the time and some of them hit it with considerable accuracy. They locate two cardinal points of the compass and then folding their hands together in such a manner that the forefingers point outward and in opposite directions, they observe the shadow cast. In the morning or the evening at certain hours one finger or the other will point directly at the sun. A comparison of the two shadows will determine the hours between. Another system followed in Turkey and some other countries of the Orient is to observe the eyes of a cat. Early in the morning and evening the pupils are round. At 9 and 3 o'clock they are oval and at noon they consist of a narrow slit.

Praised Japanese Music.

The song which Japanese women sing when raising the roof of a new building ranks with the grand music of the world, according to Heinz Eichheim, a Berlin composer, who is spending a year in Japan writing oriental music. He said in Tokyo:

"The oriental have evolved by the process of elimination a perfect piano, a perfect art and a perfect music. If we could think as originally think we would realize the absolute simplicity and perfection of their art of life." As he goes about Japan he takes notes on the primitive music of laborers and on the sound of the bells with their beautiful ornaments with the view of making them the for his compositions.

New Wag From South America.

A wag used for eadles in Colombia as yet unknown to the outside world is obtained from the leaves of the wax palm of the Andes. It has a melting point of 160 degrees Centigrade. The wax was from Ecuador and that of candle wax from Peru. The melting point of the wax is only about 70 degrees Centigrade.

Local Slayer Gets Xmas Pardon

New Affidavit Is Filed

(BULLETIN)

Amaziah Webb, better known as "Sonny" Webb, who was sentenced to a life term in the Ohio penitentiary Dec. 10, 1908, for the wanton murder of his sister-in-law, Mrs. Lucy Webb, 27 years of age, on June 3, 1905, on Barkham Hill, is to receive the Christmas pardon from Governor Cox, it was announced early today.

The crime was committed at the home of Mrs. Lucy Webb, on what is now known as reservoir hill. With apparently no further motive than the fact that his sister-in-law would not agree to the withdrawal of an assault warrant she had caused to be issued against her husband and his brother, Amaziah Webb, aged 40, pulled a Colt's revolver from his hip pocket and pumped five shots into her back, death being almost instant, the leaden pellets piercing their way through the woman's heart. Webb then went to the home of another brother, William Webb, and after telling William Webb's wife of the crime he had just committed, stepped into the doorway of the woodshed and sent a bullet tearing through his vitals, inflicting a wound that was thought would soon cause death.

Sheriff Gilpin and Officer Pete Smith were soon on the scene. They found there Officer Ike Wells, of New Boston, who accompanied them to the home of William Webb, where the murderer was located, two guns being taken from him.

On Dec. 10, Webb was found guilty of first degree murder with recommendation for mercy. Attorneys J. S. Thomas and F. W. Meeker were appointed to assist the county prosecutor, Harry Miller in the case, while Attorney C. C. Miller and Theodore Funk defended Webb.

Dorcas Class Will Meet

The Dorcas class of the Franklin Avenue M. E. church will hold its regular monthly meeting tonight at the home of Mrs. Charles E. Brooks of 2725 Legan street, with Mrs. T. W. Burke and Mrs. Henry Hebley assisting. A full attendance is desired, as the annual passing party of the class will be the feature of the meeting.

T. A. Russell Buys Velie

T. A. Russell of 938 Third street has bought a new model 45 Velie touring car from the Superior Motors company. The car will be delivered Wednesday.

Case Continued

Earl Crawford was before Judge Gilliland in Probate Court Monday on a charge of contributing to the delinquency of Martha Nichols, also under arrest. The man was only partially heard, it being continued for further evidence. Crawford denied the charge.

Sunday School Picture

Sunday was rally day at Allen Chapel Sunday School and after the services a picture was taken of the entire school.

Back From Cincinnati

Isidor Goodman of the United Wool company has returned from a business trip to Cincinnati.

Severe License

Shaneau Shafer and Mayne Hill, licensees of this city were granted a marriage license in Ironton, Monday.

Back From Ironton

Thurman Notter of the New System Laking company of this city has returned from a visit to home folks in Ironton.

Home For Xmas

Edward McNamara, who is taking a law course at Georgetown University, is home for the Christmas holidays.

Leave Friday

Clem Switalski, W. S. Pyley and O. R. Ireland will leave Friday for New York City to attend the Atlantic convention to be held there three days.

Takes Job Here

Oskay Stolt of Hillboro has taken a job at the Wren store and is making his home here with his sister, Mrs. Floyd Saxon of Roosevelt Court.

(BULLETIN)

Squire Byron in the Darc Williams case against Williams yesterday afternoon after the first charge was knocked out, by motion, by reason of the affidavit being faulty. After consulting several lawyers and learned Squire Finney, where he filed a new affidavit charging Williams with Byron's jurisdiction, the game protector dropped the prosecution before the latter magistrate.

Williams probably will be arraigned to attack the jurisdiction of the latter magistrate.

Getting a tip that the defense was planning to attack the jurisdiction of the latter magistrate.

A second affidavit had been filed in sometime today.

Enumerators Are Named

Final instructions regarding the taking of census statistics were given on Friday, January 2, and will work continuously until their task is completed. A wealth of statistics are to be gathered along with the enumeration of names.

The enumeration is to be of January 1, 1920, births or deaths occurring after that date not to be taken into consideration.

Below is a list of the appointees who will have charge of the Census Enumeration in Scioto County commencing January 2, 1920:

District 123—To be filled later.
124—To be filled later.
125—To be filled later.
126—Kepner, H. Taylor.....Part of New Boston Village
126—Edward Minor.....Part of New Boston Village
127—Wm. S. Vaughers.....Part of Clay Township
128—Arthur W. Morris.....Part of Clay Township
129—Uncle Burke.....Green Township
130—John A. Will.....Harrison Township
131—Dexter H. Clark.....Jefferson Township
132—John P. Snyder.....Madison Township
133—Thomas Crows.....Morgan Township
134—Joseph B. Boller.....Part of Nine Township
135—Homer A. Hutzelkamer.....Part of Nine Township
136—Herman H. Hunsaker.....Part of Porter Township
137—Benjamin G. Rolf.....Part of Porter Township
138—James C. Ulrich.....Scioto Village
139—James M. Wilcox.....Harlow Township, Hardin Village
140—Estey Davis.....Union Township
141—Horace D. Violett.....Valley Township
142—Joseph J. Smittle.....Vernon Township
143—Grace Jenkins.....Washington Township
144—Henry Klingeman.....Part of Ward 1
145—Joseph W. Mitchell.....Part of Ward 1
146—Wm. Frederick.....Part of Ward 1
147—John Edgeman.....Part of Ward 2
148—Robert E. Lewis.....Part of Ward 2
149—Joe P. Kerrigan.....Part of Ward 2
150—Nancy D. Runk.....Part of Ward 3
151—Harry J. Smith.....Part of Ward 3
152—Dennis V. Corlett.....Part of Ward 3
153—Horley M. Zathman.....Part of Ward 4
154—Al. Frederick.....Part of Ward 4
155—T. P. Duley.....Part of Ward 4
156—To be filled later.
157—William Koger.....Part of Ward 4

Couple Released; Will Marry

The cases of Lucy Moore and Leon Hedges, N. B. Gifford and Morris, both divorced, were dismissed when they promised to marry and he with contributing to marry the girl on January 2 when she became sixteen years of age.

Many Plants To Be Idle

Christmas with all its joys and merriment, will be enjoyed by employees of the following manufacturing companies who will shut down for the occasion:

The Irving Drew Shoe company will close at 4:30 p. m. Wednesday and The Mitchell Manufacturing company will not resume work until Monday, giving 16 days of vacation.

The Portsmouth Store and Radio open on a Monday morning, The Blue St. Manufacturing Co., The Hardware Store, the Furniture Store, the Proctor Furniture Co. and the Portsmouth Biscuit rice company will allow their employees Christmas Day off.

MINER SHOT BY SHERIFF

STEVENS, KY.—Alfred, a boy who was seen disorderly, Tom Meadow, a man, was shot and killed by Sheriff Frank Speer.

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